



# STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

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## ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT March 2004 Update

## **Subarea Health Planning Councils (SACs) Activities**

#### Hawaii

There is a proposal before the County Council for a 2 cent fuel tax to support the transportation program. The SAC is looking into ways to gather support for the transportation program. In upcoming months the SAC will review the process used in developing the transportation project as it moves into identifying new priorities for the county.

### Honolulu

Member Jim Walsh, HMSA, reported on "Health Care Financing – Allocating" Limited Resources in an Age of Entitlement." Jim gave members current facts about Hawaii's health care environment: economy recovering, strong competitive insurer market, costs increasing, gov't reimbursements reduced, increasing malpractice rates, shortage of some health specialists, aging population, etc.; HMSA's financial incentives to providers to encourage quality care - rating on patient satisfaction, clinical outcomes, etc.; Annual reviews of provider fee schedules via a systematic data-based process.

#### Kauai

Council members began discussion of their list of 40 suggested Kauai health care priorities. The items which received most attention at this time were: health care affordability-employer and worker/uninsured; Kauai autonomy; prevention programs (asthma, diabetes, drugs); accessibility-North Shore, radiation treatment; and injury prevention-keiki seat belts.

#### Tri-Isle

Gerald Doeksen from Rural Health Works gave a presentation on health care as an economic engine in communities. Tri-Isle SAC reviewed three applications for MRI services on Maui.

West Oahu West Oahu SAC heard from Lola Irwin from the DOH Coordinated School Health Program about current and upcoming health education initiatives and opportunities in the schools. The SAC is going to work with Hawaii Medical Association to develop a speakers' bureau to contribute to and serve as a resource for health education. They are going to contact leeward and central Oahu district health education coordinators about how they could become involved in the schools.

### Windward

Dr. Jane Kadohiro spoke with the Windward Oahu SAC on diabetes self management, treatment, education and prevention approaches and what some of the challenges are in living with and treating diabetes. The SAC plans to review all of the presentations from the speakers they have had on diabetes and determine if there is a role they can play.

## **Research and Statistics:**

The SHPDA website had a total of 19,521 hits during February 2004.

The Certificate of Need Application Summaries and Decisions Files, Monthly SHPDA Update Reports, Web Server Hits Statistics and SHPDA Calendar web pages were updated.

Continued preparations for the 2003 Utilization Survey mailout.

## **Certificate of Need Applications**

- #03-17 Hawaii Radiologic Associates, Ltd. for the establishment of an outpatient computed tomography (CT) services at 77-311 Sunset Drive, Kailua-Kona, HI at a capital cost of \$1,125,000. Rescheduled for March reviews at applicant's request.
- Wahiawa Hospital Association for the relocation of Wahiawa General Hospital services (excluding SNF) from 128 Lehua Street, Wahiawa to Waipio (Tax Map Key Nos. (1)9-4-006-001 and (1)9-4-006-002, at a capital cost of \$44,756,600. Incomplete. Waiting for information/revisions from applicant.
- #03-39A St. Francis Healthcare System for the relocation and expansion of its Wailuku Dialysis facility at a capital cost of \$3,994,900. Approved.
- Maui Diagnostic Imaging, LLC for the change of ownership of imaging services at 425 Koloa Street, #102, Kahului, Hi (Magnetic Resonance Imaging, Ultrasound, Mammography, Dexascanner); 221 Piikea Ave., #B, Kihei, HI (X-Ray, Ultrasound); 53 Puunene Ave., #115, Kahului, HI (Computerized Tomography, X-Ray) and; 99 South Market Street, Wailuku, HI (X-Ray), at a capital cost of \$3,118,637. Reviews scheduled for March.
- #04-02 Peter A. Galpin M.D. for the establishment of an Outpatient Surgicenter at 200 Kalepa Place, Suite 203, Kahului, Maui at a capital cost of \$142,000. Incomplete. Waiting for information, revisions from applicant.
- #04-03 Island Imaging LLC for the establishment of an open Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) service at 441 Ala Makani Street, Kahului, Maui, HI at a capital cost of \$2,535,000. Reviews scheduled for March.

#04-04 Maui Memorial Medical Center for the addition of an open Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) unit, Wailuku, Maui, HI at a capital cost of \$2,172,648. Reviews scheduled for March. #04-05A Mental Health Kokua for the establishment of an 6 bed Special Treatment Facility at 75-187 Alakai Street, Kona, HI at a capital cost of \$330,000. Public notice March 4, 2004. #04-06A Mental Health Kokua for the establishment of an 6 bed Special Treatment Facility at 138 No. Central Ave., Wailuku, Maui, HI at a capital cost of \$575,000. Public notice March 4, 2004. Hale Kipa, Inc. for the establishment of a 10 bed Special Treatment Facility in #04-07A Ewa Beach, Oahu, HI at a capital cost of \$229,600. Waiting for revisions from applicant. Hale Kipa, Inc. for the establishment of a 10 bed Special Treatment Facility in #04-08A Ewa Beach, Oahu, HI at a capital cost of \$235,300. Waiting for revisions from applicant. #04-09A Pediahealth Corp. for the acquisition of Kulana Malama, a 28 bed pediatric skilled nursing facility, Karayan Street, Ewa, HI at a capital cost of \$3,880,092. Reviewing for completeness. #04-10A Bountiful Psychiatric DBA Benchmark Behavioral Systems for the establishment of a 10 bed Special Treatment Facility in Pearl City, Oahu, HI at a capital cost of \$810.000. Reviewing for completeness. #04-11A Garden Isle Healthcare, LLC for the acquisition of the Wilcox Memorial

Hospital 110 bed Skilled Nursing and Intermediate Care unit at 3420 Kuhio

Hwy., Lihue, Kauai at a capital cost of \$2,500,000. Reviewing for

completeness.